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Title: RNA-BINDING PROTEIN  
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS  
FOR SEQUENCE LISTING UNDER 37 CFR 1.121**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231  
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Sir:

In response to the Notification to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Sequence Listings mailed May 23, 2001, please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please replace the following paragraphs with the following rewritten paragraphs. The changes are shown explicitly in the attached "Version with Markings to Show Changes Made."

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 4 at line 15 with the following rewritten paragraph:

Fig. 2 shows an alignment between the amino acid sequence of SYNCRIP and (SEQ ID NO: 4) the amino acid of hnRNP R (SEQ ID NOS 10 & 11).

After page 31, insert the printed Sequence Listing.